Gainesville Daily Sun

VOL. XXIV, NO. 264 GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1907 TEN CENTS A WEEK

KEPT FROM PANICS

Prompt Action Probably Averted Theater Horror In Chicago.

ACTOR CALMED AN AUDIENCE

But for the Efforts of the Police and Firemen, There Might Have Been a Repetition of the Iroquois Horror of a Few Years Ago in that City.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Three audiences in the Fine Arts and Studebaker buildings were kept from panics Tuesday night by quick action of the fire department officers and theatrical mangers after a fire had been discovered in the Chicago Musical college building which adjoins the structures.

One alarmist was knocked unconscious in the lobby of the Studebaker building by an official of the theater after he had uttered one shout of: "Fire!"

Hobart Chatfield-Taylor hurried to the stage of the Music Hall, where a performance was being given and calmed the people in the audience, who had scented the smoke and had begun to exhibit signs of alarm.

The fire, which was in the organ loft of the Chicago Musical college on the seventh floor, was of little consequence and readily was extinguished.

Chief Horan ordered all the fire department apparatus should be stopped a half block north of the theater buildings. He also quickly stilled the gongs and the firemen's shouts.

In the Studebaker theater, where a play was being witnessed by 1,400 persons, all the exits were taken in charge by ushers and firemen, who were ordered to throw them wide open at the first symptom of panic.

Less than a score of persons in the theater knew of the fire.

On the tenth floor of the Fine Arts building 200 members of the Shakespeare Club were gathered, and in a dramatic school on the eighth floor about seventy-five pupils and teachers were engaged. They were warned by attendants of the building and all left by the elevators.

RETURNS AFTER TWENTY YEARS.

Man Declared Legally Dead Wishes To Be Declared Legally Alive.

New York, Dec. 12.—Lost to his relatives and friends for twenty-three years, and for many years mourned as dead, Charles Warner has returned to his old home in Brooklyn.

Since he left home Werner's father and mother have died, but he still has three brothers and three sisters living in Flatbush. They failed to recognize him on his return and he was finally identified by an old blacksmith about whose forge he used to play when a boy.

Werner is now a wealthy ranch owner, and lives with his wife and children near Obe, Okla. When he reached Brooklyn, Werner discovered that there is a small fortune awaiting him which was left him by an uncle in Germany. He has been declared legally dead, but will take steps to have himself declared legally alive again. Werner ran away from home when he was 14 years old, having become enamoured of the west by seeing a wild west show in Brooklyn.

SHOT WIFE AND SELF.

Little Children Were Crying at a Window While Parents Lay Dead.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 12—While his two small children slept in an adjoining bed, George Stinson shot his wife to death as she lay in her bed and then fired a bullet into his own brain.

The tragedy occurred some time on Monday night, but was not discovered until late Tuesday night when the police broke into the room to discover why the two little children were standing at the window crying.

Sale of Art Collections.

New York, Dec. 12.—The last session of the sale of the art collections of the late Stanford White was held Tuesday and netted $8,416, making the total for the entire sale $80,125.

STEAMER HITS FERRYBOAT.

Frightful Loss of Life Narrowly Averted in East River at New York.

New York, Dec. 12.—The Fall River Line steamer Providence was in collision with, and but narrowly escaped sinking, a crowded East River ferryboat Tuesday night.

The latter craft lost a portion of her superstructure, and her passengers were thrown into a panic, during which, it is reported, a man and a woman jumped overboard, and were drowned. This report could not be confirmed, and so far as is definitely known, no one was killed or seriously injured.

The Providence's prow struck the ferryboat a glancing blow on the starboard, and the boats hung together long enough to permit many of its passengers to pass from the ferryboat's upper deck to the steamer. Others were taken off by tugs, while some remained on board.

Both boats drifted down the river until aided by tugs, the ferryboat crippled by the accident and the steamer temporarily unable to get her head. The latter finally returned to her dock, and the ferryboat was helped to a slip. The Providence was greatly damaged.

Only when within easy hailing distance was the danger realized and both vessels made desperate efforts to sheer away. To their partial success may be credited the avoidance of a frightful loss of life, for another moment's delay would have permitted the Providence cutting the Baltic squarely in half. The steamer scraped the Baltic's starboard, tearing away the latter's hood and throwing her over until her port deck was nearly awash.

TROUBLE MAY RESULT.

Outbreak From Negroes Feared In Pickens County, Ala.

Columbus, Miss., Dec. 12—Pickens county, Alabama, is about to have another outbreak from negroes, and news from that locality gives an alarming state of affairs.

The trouble started Sunday afternoon when a constable named Wiglowe started from Gordo, 10 miles from Carrollton, the county seat, to arrest a negro named Will Lowe, who was charged with stealing cotton. The negro's house is 3 miles from Gordo.

The constable went alone and after making the arrest and starting for Gordo he was met in the public road by a mob of fifty negroes, led by the prisoner's brother, who began firing. The negro prisoner under the constable's care was instantly killed by a shot from his own brother's gun, and the constable was shot several times, though not seriously.

The mob of negroes left the constable and prisoner for dead and retreated.

Monday a posse of citizens from many parts of the county scoured the section for all suspected trouble makers, and fifteen negroes were added to the inmates of the Carrollton jail.

Will Probe Mine Troubles.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Assistant Secretary Murray of the department of commerce and labor, Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, and Houser Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, will leave Washington for Goldfield, Nev., to make a thorough investigation of the trouble between the miners and mine operators at that place. Secretary Murray and Commissioner Smith made this announcement after a conference with President Roosevelt.

Society of Western Artists.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The twelfth annual exhibition of the Society of Western artists opened Tuesday evening at the Art Institute. The catalog includes 148 numbers, the work of 73 artists, representing the middle west, the extreme west and the south. A $500 prize, known as the Fine Arts Building Prize, will be awarded in a few days for the "most meritorious and important exhibit made by a western artist."

Resulted in a Draw.

San Francisco, Calif., Dec. 12—The thirty-round battle between John Murphy and Johnny Frayne, the lightweights at Colma Tuesday night, resulted in a draw.

PAID DEATH PENALTY

First Official Electrocution In the State of New Jersey.

PROCESS WAS SUCCESSFUL

Eight Hundred Volts Were Turned Into the Body of Servilo di Giavanni, an Italian, for the Murder of a Fellow Countryman.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 12.—The first official electrocution in New Jersey occurred in the state prison here a few minutes before 6 o'clock Tuesday morning, when Servilo di Giovanni, an Italian, paid the death penalty for the murder of Joseph Sanson, a fellow countryman, at Raritan last September. The electrocution was pronounced a success in every way.

Death was instantaneous. Eight hundred volts were turned on and the contact kept up for a minute and eight seconds.

The electric chair was made at Sing Sing and was tested by the use of a side of beef, the purpose being to be sure that the body would not burn as the result of burning on the electric current.

Giovanni killed Sanson as the result of a quarrel.

OUTWITS PROCESS SERVER.

Stuyvesant Fish Dodges Subpoena by Quick Trip to Chicago.

New York, Dec. 12.—The World states that Stuyvesant Fish's sudden departure for Chicago Tuesday night was due to his discovery of a plot to hold him in New York until after the election of directors of the Illinois Central railroad, which takes place Dec. 18 in Chicago.

According to this story, Mr. Fish discovered that a process server was looking for him with a subpoena to appear as a witness in a case now on trial at White Plains. This case, it is stated, will require several weeks to try and attendance there would necessarily prevent Mr. Fish from going to Chicago and voting the many proxies which are in his name and which he must vote personally. The fact that the subpoena had been issued, the story says, became known by accident to one of Mr. Fish's friends who at once telephoned him. Thereupon Mr. Fish and his secretary were rushed to Jersey City ferry and caught a train to Chicago.

It is said they went without baggage. It had been announced that Mr. Fish would not go to Chicago until a day or two before the meeting.

Wreck on the Panhandle.

Columbus, Dec. 12.—The first section of Panhandle train No. 29, the Keystone express, was wrecked at Frazerburg, 49 miles east of Columbus, late Tuesday night. Reports of the smash up are meager, but it is stated that half a dozen passengers were injured though none fatally. The three rear cars of the train, two Pullmans and a day coach left the rails, the Pullmans turning over on their sides. Either a defective truck under one of the coaches or a broken piece of rail caused the wreck.

Fire Loss of $37,000.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 12.—A Hopkinsville, Ky., dispatch says the Planters association prizing house at Pembroke, Ky., was burned early on Wednesday morning. The building contained twenty thousand bushels of wheat, but no tobacco. Loss about $25,000. The fire caught from a defective flue. A fire at Hopkinsville Wednesday morning caused a loss of $12,000. The news of the fire caused great alarm.

Barrooms for Rent

Macon, Ga., Dec. 12.—"To Let" signs are now decorating the windows of many Macon bar rooms and more signs of a similar nature will be hung out next week. Many bar proprietors are wondering if their landlords will let them off without paying rent upon the store for the full period of time for which they were leased.

OIL SHIPS PUT TO SEA.

Feared They Might Be Seized Under Judgment Against Company.

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 12.—Fearing that the vessels might be seized upon the judgment secured against the company by the state of Texas, the Standard Oil company ordered the steamer Captain A. F. Lucas and the bark No. 95 to proceed from this port to sea, and not to come within three miles of shore until further orders were received.

The vessels, both of which are among the largest of the oil-carrying fleet of the company, had just returned from London, where they carried an immense quantity of oil from Port Arthur.

Obeying the orders, the vessels put to sea. They are now anchored off Pensacola bar, waiting wireless orders from the oil company.

IMMIGRANTS AT SAVANNAH.

Steamship Eugenie Arrives With a Load of Immigrants for Georgia.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 12.—The steamship Eugenie arrived Tuesday afternoon with 725 immigrants, 150 of whom are to be distributed from Savannah.

The immigrants intended to be debarked here will be taken immediately off the vessel and started to their destination throughout the state. The others will probably sail later for New Orleans, La.

The immigration officers arrived in the city Tuesday morning. A few of the immigrants will remain in Chatham county. The greatest number, however, will go to Brooks county. The remainder will be equally distributed in Lowndes, Dooley, Decatur, Bulloch, Effingham, Bibb and Muscogee counties.

FARMER KILLED BY POLICEMAN.

Shot on One of the Main Streets of Montgomery, Ala.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 12.—F. F. Barr, a farmer of Montgomery county, was shot and killed Tuesday night at 10 o'clock by Policeman Searey, on Commerce street, a principal thoroughfare of this city.

Barr had been drinking and was firing his revolver in the streets, endangering the lives of pedestrians. When the policeman attempted to arrest him the man fired two shots at the officer, one of the bullets striking Richard Galatis, a prominent young man, who was passing at the time.

The officer returned the fire, killing Barr instantly. Young Galatis sustained only a flesh wound.

Technical School for Printers.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Plans for the establishment of a correspondence and technical school of national scope for the education of apprentices and journeymen printers were taken up Monday when the apprenticeship commission of the International Typographical Union began a two days' conference in Chicago. It is planned to establish technical schools in the large cities and to establish a traveling school of lectures, charts and diagrams which will be sent to the smaller local unions in turn. The object is to raise the standard of work and ability among printers and pressmen.

Citizen's League Organized.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 12.—The citizens' league, an organization having for its purpose an energetic and progressive municipal administration for the city of Columbia, was organized here. The meeting was well attended, and those present showed that they were interested in the movement, and were willing to work for an improvement in city affairs. W. M. Perry was elected president, W. M. Shand, secretary, J. D. Ball, treasurer, and E. W. Parker, sergeant at arms.

Tenders Resignation

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 12.—Joseph R. Marshall, manager of the Western Union Telegraph company, has tendered his resignation. W. G. Peebles, assistant superintendent of the Savannah district, with headquarters in Jacksonville, is now in charge of the office here temporarily. Mr. Marshall will remain for a time as assistant manager, when he will probably be given another position by the company.

COLLAPSE OF BRIDGE

Seven Men Lose Their Lives and a Score Injured.

HURLED INTO SWOLLEN RIVER

Owing to High Water a Bridge Being Constructed Over the Susquehanna River Near Bloomsburg Collapsed with Fatal Results.

Bloomsburg, Pa., Dec. 12.—High water Tuesday night caused the collapse of a new bridge in course of erection over the west branch of the Susquehanna river, a few miles north of here, and the death of seven men and the injury of nearly a score of others, perhaps fatally.

Forty men were at work on the pier on the middle span of the structure when it collapsed and all precipitated into the river below.

The collapse of the bridge was caused by the rapid rise in the river. The water rose during the night at the rate of about one foot an hour, and the debris carried along by the flood struck the pier supporting the bridge and caused it to fall.

The accident occurred at 6:30 o'clock, when the men were about to abandon their work for the day. In the work of rescuing those who were thrown into the water and carried into the mass of twisted iron the current was greatly retarded.

The second span of the bridge was being erected, and it was this span that fell with the big timbers.

The bodies of four of those killed were found floating on the surface of the water entangled in the debris and twisted girders and iron work. The bodies of others have not been found. Many of the men were caught in the wreckage and carried a mile or more down the river before they were rescued.

Loss of life and great damage to property is reported from many other eastern points in the state, caused by the heavy rains of the past few days.

SOUGHT TO WED GIRL

Immigration Authorities Would Not Permit It.

New York, Dec. 12.—[illegible] says he has loved her devotedly from the first moment he saw her, Manuel Rodrigues will be allowed to marry Mary Stafford, from Hayti.

Music stole across the seas from Hayti and stowed [illegible] was found and turned over to the authorities. Rodrigues [illegible] standing dejectedly on the deck of the Providence and straightway fell in love with her. She was [illegible] New York and although it is stated that he was anxious to marry her, the authorities decided that under the law she must be returned to Hayti.

BOSTON GOES REPUBLICAN

Closest and Hardest Fought Contest in Many Years.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 12.—In the closest and hardest fought municipal contest which Boston has had in many years, the city went [illegible] Tuesday by about 2,000 [illegible].

Postmaster George A. [illegible] publican, defeated Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, democrat, for re-election.

The city voted to license the sale of liquor by a large majority, [illegible] smaller than in previous years. However, due to a hard campaign on the part of the clergy and others in an endeavor to keep the saloons out of the suburbs.

Watchman Was Killed

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 12.—[illegible] Kale, night watchman at Peedee river trestle, near Florence, was murdered Tuesday night and robbed of $15 in cash and a watch. It is believed he was killed by negroes in a nearby lumber camp.

FISHER AS A COOK.

Those Present at the Thomas Banquet Voted Him as the "Best Ever."

The Sun omitted to mention the fact that the hundred or more business and professional men at the banquet so generously tendered by The S. J. Thomas Company at their store Wednesday night voted the "chef" upon this occasion, Phillip Fisher, to be the "best ever" when it came to preparing 'possum and 'taters and turkey; but this was a fact, and one of the most important facts overlooked, as to Mr. Fisher the guests are under obligations for the excellent and tempting manner in which the meats were cooked and served.

Phillip Fisher is a Southern boy, and he says he is proud of it. Born and reared in Texas, it is no wonder that he understands so thoroughly the method of preparing that delicious, toothsome viand known as the 'possum, and which is so common in our Southland—but which, strange to say, so few know how to prepare properly.

The fact that Mr. Fisher prepared this 'possum so well is really a credit to his integrity and memory. Notwithstanding that he is yet a young man, he let the secret of his knowledge about preparing 'possum out of the bag, to use the expression, Thursday, when he was being complimented right and left about his ability in this direction. "You know I'm a Southern boy," he said, "and all good, true Southern folks—at least the majority of them—do love 'possum. My folks were no exception to the rule, but I am going to be frank enough to admit that among them all I was the most devoted to the 'possum. Like most all Southern folks, we had a good, faithful old negro cook—one who knew her business, especially when it came to things which appealed to her appetite, and you would hardly believe it when I tell you that, when a 'possum came into that home after a night's frolic, I was always there, 'Johnny on the spot,' to see that 'possum properly prepared. It was probably because my weakness for 'possum was equal to Aunt Jane's (for that was the good old woman's name), that I learned to prepare it; but at any rate I learned, and when I began to 'brag' around here about what I knew about 'possum and how to cook it, Mr. Thomas challenged me to prove my assertion instanter. That's how you fellows come to have that 'possum supper Wednesday night—but I assure you it was a pleasure to me. It was a pleasure for two reasons—a pleasure to serve you, and a pleasure for me to prove to Mr. Thomas that I knew what I was talking about."

Mr. Fisher has been here all week as a special representative of the Majestic range, of which the Thomas Company are sales agents, and which he has been demonstrating.

Another interesting feature of this banquet, or supper, was the "walking cake," as Mr. Fisher pleased to term it. This cake was baked in the afternoon, along with the other viands. It consisted of three large layers, weighing in all thirty-one pounds. Mr. Fisher, at the beginning of the ceremonies, requested five of the heaviest men present to stand on a board covering this tempting-looking part of that which was to make up the bill of fare. In response to this request, M. B. Saunders, Judge J. A. Carlisle, A. O. Steenburg, J. A. Shannon and L. J. Burkhim, all among the heaviest citizens of the city, stood upon the board, when the cake was mashed as flat as the proverbial pancake. Within a moment after the gentlemen had gotten off the board the cake rose to its normal size and condition, and was afterwards cut and served for supper.

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DR. STROUSE IS HOME.

Preached a Fine Sermon in Jacksonville—Inducements from Daytona.

Dr. Clarence B. Strouse, one of the most noted evangelists the South has ever known, is at home again, after having delivered a most impressive sermon in Jacksonville, at the Christian church, Sunday night, mention of which has already been made in The Sun.

Dr. Strouse also visited Daytona, and states that the progressive people of that town are desirous of having him locate a Bible conference and chautauqua there. He states that they have offered to erect for him, without cost, a magnificent pier extending four hundred feet out into the Halifax river, and to place at the end of this pier an auditorium and pavilion with a seating capacity of 4,000, and will also guarantee him a handsome sum annually for ten years.

Dr. Strouse has not yet decided whether he will accept this proposition, but has the same under consideration.

Mr. Patterson's Condition.

Friends of R. D. Patterson, the young man who underwent a surgical operation at the National Odd Fellows' Sanitarium a couple of days ago, will be gratified to learn that the patient is resting as easily as could be expected. The patient is cheerful and appears to be conscience of all his surroundings, but his condition yet is by no means favorable, as the operation it is understood was one requiring a great of skill, and to which was attached grave danger. However the attending physicians performed their work well, and it is merely a question as to whether his physical condition will permit his recovery.

Christmas Holiday Rates via Seaboard.

Account Christmas and New Year holidays the Seaboard Air Line railway will use a rate of one and one-third straight fares, plus twenty-five cents, with a minimum rate of fifty cents, for the round trip between all points. Such tickets will be on sale December 20th to 25th, inclusive, December 30th, 31st and January 1st. All tickets limited returning to January 8th, 1908.

IN THE MAYOR'S COURT.

Three Cases of Fighting and One for Drunk Were Fined Thursday.

Thursday was an unusually heavy day for the city court, which was probably due to the fact that Wednesday night was a cold one, and the offenders dwelt a little too frequent with the jug that cheers them on, and makes them feel like $2.60 worth of sausage meat, flavored with red pepper, or something else of the same warm temperament.

There were three offenders arraigned for fighting, being Ben Wilder, Archer Murray and Ernest Hicklen. Wilson was fined $5 and costs, Murray $10 and costs, and Hicklen $25 and costs—the scales being made in accordance with the alleged offenses, as the court saw it.

Wilson and Murray paid their fines and appeared to be satisfied, but Hicklen, who was represented by an attorney, made an appeal and gave bond for his appearance in the circuit court. It was not learned whether the Honorable Mayor fined the men in proportion in which the court decided they had participated, or whether he assessed the fine and costs in proportion to the injuries appearing to be made to each. At any rate, the fines were made, and everybody but Hicklen seemed to be satisfied.

J. A. Blank, for being drunk, was fined $2.50 and costs, which were paid and the defendant released.

OFF ON A BIG HUNT.

Sheriff Fennell and Arch Jackson Have Gone to Orange Springs.

Sheriff L. W. Fennell and Arch Jackson, of whom there are no two more successful hunters for "big game" in the State, have gone with a party of friends from the East End to the Orange Springs section, in the forests of Putnam and Marion counties, where they will spend the next ten days in hunting deer, bear and turkey.

Sheriff Fennell has been so long engaged in hunting "human game" in the nature of offenders of the law, that he has gotten his profession down to a fine point. He is also good on deer, wildcat, fox, bear and turkey, and if there is anything in those woods we may expect to hear something favorable upon the return of the party from their chase.

At the Opera House.

The King Stock Company have been playing to a business unequalled for repertoire companies. At Wilmington, Savannah, Macon, and Augusta the press quoted them as being the best repertoire touring the South.

This company opens a three nights' engagement in Gainesville Monday, December 16th. They give a thoroughly up-to-date line of plays, and specialties between the acts. The opening bill is "The Shadow," and in this piece the eminent character actor, Charles King, is seen at his best. The support is all that anyone would look for.

On Tuesday the beautiful story of Washington Irving, "Rip Van Winkle," Wednesday, "The Circus Girl," a comedy drama.

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Little Jessie Birdsall, daughter of Mrs. Ida Birdsall, living at 2138 Carroll Avenue, Chicago, is among many relieved of a large parasite by Mr. Cooper's preparation during his stay in that city. In speaking of the matter to Mr. Cooper, the mother said: "My child Jessie, who is fourteen years old, has been suffering with this trouble for over seven years. Until this morning we did not know what the trouble was. She was extremely nervous; the least little thing would upset her; her tongue was coated and at times she would have a good appetite, then again could not bear the sight of food; she was restless at night, had a bad breath, especially when she got up of mornings. We tried everything to relieve her, but met with no success. We were just on the point of giving up trying anything else, when we began to read of Cooper's New Discovery. Several days ago we purchased this medicine. Jessie has been using it regularly, and this morning this parasite left her system. I don't wonder that she has always felt bad, and nothing we would give her seemed to relieve her. Now that she is relieved of this tapeworm I feel sure that she will grow better each day, and enjoy perfect health. Mr. Cooper, your medicine is worth a thousand times more than you charge for it. I know of a number of people troubled the same way as Jessie has been, and I certainly expect to tell them personally to try your medicine."

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THE UNIVERSITY LECTURES.

Dr. Crow Lectured in Hawthorn, Dr. Farr to Dade City and Brooksville.

The faculty of the University of Florida continue to lecture throughout the State to the high schools, which system is proving of great benefit to the State.

On Wednesday evening Dr. C. L. Crow addressed the high school at Hawthorn, while Thursday Dr. Farr left for Dade City and Brooksville, where he will deliver two interesting lectures.

Dr. Farr was accompanied by his wife. They expect to return tomorrow or Sunday.

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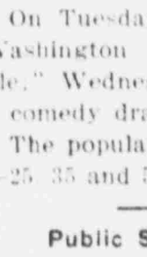

ABOUT CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

R. E. Lansford, formerly of Chattanooga, has accepted a position with the A. R. Harper Piano Company, Jacksonville and Gainesville, and has been here for the past few days assisting Mr. Harper in his piano sale. Mr. Lansford is a thorough piano man, and will no doubt make a great success in this section.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung troubles. This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiate or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine. J. W. McCollum & Co.

M. Mansfield of Santa Fe was in the city yesterday. He was en route to Citronelle, where he will be a guest of his friends, James and W. B. Holder, on a hunting trip, for the next few days. Mr. Mansfield is quite a marksman, and may have something of interest to tell the readers of The Sun when he returns. While here he had his name enrolled on the ever-increasing list of The Sun.

Hon. Henry S. Chubb has returned to this city, after a visit to Washington, where he attended the meeting of the National Republican committtee. Returning from Washington, he was present at the meeting of the Florida State Central Republican committee, of which he has the honor to be chairman. Col. Chubb stated that there was "a great deal doing," but he had nothing to say for publication at this time.

Messrs. J. F. Reitzel and E. B. Tucker of Jacksonville, two popular young men who have been employed as train dispatchers in the district headquarters of the Atlantic Coast Line in Jacksonville, have been transferred to the office here, and will make their home here at least during the winter schedule on that road. They are both efficient in their profession, and well known in railroad circles. Both have assumed their duties in the office of the train dispatcher here.

Captain C. A. Neel of Newberry, senior member of the firm of Neel & Burke extensive merchants, was in the city yesterday. This firm is one of the largest and most influential of its kind in the West End. Col. Neel, while here, had his name enrolled upon the subscription list of The Sun. He states that Newberry is growing rapidly, and that the burned district, with the exception of the hotels, has been rebuilt in a substantial manner, the buildings being brick or stone.

Florida State Teachers' Association, [illegible], will meet at St. Petersburg, Florida. Tickets will be on sale at all Atlantic Coast Line ticket offices in Florida December 29th and 30th, with return limit up to January 3rd, inclusive. A rare chance to see Tropical Southern West Coast at the beginning of the winter tourist season. Rates will be one fare plus twenty-five cents for the round trip. Double daily service Pullman cars on day trains and Pullman sleepers on night trains. For further information, or if you are going to travel anywhere, write to or call on A. W. Fritot, Division Passenger Agent, Atlantic Coast Line, Jacksonville, Fla.

Bound to Go to Bank.

A rather amusing "runaway" occurred on West Main street Wednesday afternoon when a lazy old dray-horse [illegible] and pretended that he was going to run away and smash things generally.

As soon as the animal discovered that the driver who was asleep in the wagon was not going to make an attempt to stop him, however, he stopped short of his own accord to prevent the breaking of a plate glass window in the [illegible] National Bank. From the back he was frightened away from the stand of George & Nicholas attempting to [illegible] with a bunch of bananas held in his hands, after the animal advanced across the sidewalk to the First National Bank building about to enter Bookkeeper Kinstry made a face which scared him so badly that he turned off into the street and [illegible] ended the incident.

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Baird Hardware Co.

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FOOTBALL TODAY.

Gainesville High School vs. University of Florida Scrubs.

As announced in yesterday's Sun these two teams will play the last football game of the season today at the baseball park. The admission will be only twenty-five cents and a good crowd should attend, as this will be their last chance to witness a football game this season. Both teams had the very best of practice yesterday and should put up a good game.

It will be remembered that these same teams put up one of the prettiest contests Thanksgiving Day that has been seen here for a long time, and the game today will undoubtedly be a bitterly-fought contest. The game will be called at 4 o'clock.

The line-ups will be as follows:

G. H. S.	Position.	U. of F.
Padgett, C.	f. b.	Kime
Mershon, L.	c.	Kirls
Means	r. g.	Burgin
Pinkoson	l. g.	Jobes
Padgett, J.	r. t.	Mershon
Bowers	l. t.	Mizelle
Bruce	l. e.	Vinson
Eckersall	q. b.	Howell
Taylor, W.	r. e.	Lightfoot
Taylor (Capt)	l. h. b.	Persons
Dempsey	r. h. b.	Robinson

FOUND TRUE REMEDY.

J. W. McCollum & Co. Sure Mi-o-na Will Cure Indigestion.

In no other way can you so quickly, so readily and so positively stimulate the stomach to good health as by using Mi-o-na. J. W. McCollum & Co. feel so sure that this remedy will restore to health every person suffering with stomach troubles that they sell it under a guarantee to refund the money unless it cures. This shows conclusively its superiority over the ordinary old-fashioned digestives.

The underlying cause of most nervous debility, headaches, sleeplessness and melancholy is faulty nutrition, the result of a weakened stomach and inactive bowels. Mi-o-na strengthens the stomach muscles, regulates the bowels and thus makes digestion easy and natural.

A 50-cent box of Mi-o-na lasts a couple of weeks, and will ward off a dozen attacks of indigestion and bring good health to the weakest stomach.

Episcopal Bazaar.

The bazaar of the ladies of the Episcopal church which was held Thursday afternoon and evening, was a great success in every way and the ladies are very grateful to the public for their favor which made the affair so successful. Quite a neat sum was realized, and everybody was satisfied.

SERMONETTES

BY J. MARVIN NICHOLS

Once, in perfect freedom, I stepped into a certain home without the customary habit of ringing the door-bell. In a dimly lighted corner, on a soft and roomy couch, lay a beautiful young woman—a mother. Playing with its little rattler, and cuddled close to her bosom was her first-born. I thought she was crooning in the twilight to her baby. I looked again—and saw the woman's great brown eyes were all filled with tears. So profoundly was she weeping that she had not heard me enter. In unspeakable silence I waited, for I knew an unwonted storm must be raging in her mother heart. She stroked the baby's hair with a touch as gentle as the twilight wind. Now she pressed its velvet cheek to hers. Then she drew the tiny form to her breast as if to shield it from impending danger. And when I spoke it was only to find her dreaming of the day "when one should be taken and the other left." True love knows no deeper pain than that hour when, for any cause, we lose one another in a starless night. No wonder Ella Wheeler Wilcox exclaims:

Wert thou first called (dear God, how could I bear it);
I should enchain thee with my love, I know.
Not brave enough am I to free thy spirit
From all these tender ties, and bid thee go.
Nor would a soul, unselfish as thine own,
Forget so soon, and speed to heaven alone.

Final Taps.

There's sublimity in the years when we shall sit along life's river borders, waiting for the boatman from the distant shores. Shame on him who has no honor for the restless spirit that waits for final taps—for the reveille. Not far distant is the final camp-ground. Soon they will parque their arms and join the bivouac of the dead. Already they listen for final taps. Soon upon their ears will break the sound of the reveille. There's something majestic about these old veterans. They bear the scars of war. The dust of the battlefield clings to their garments. The eye has grown heavy with weariness. Their forms are bent and drooping now. But their faces are radiant—they've caught visions of palms of victory and crowns of glory. They only tarry for the last review. In the distant past they gave no quarter, begged no furlough, beat no retreat. The bugle sounds—the final roll is called. Along the far-flung battle front rolls the shout of victors. They pitch their tents on the angel's camp ground now. No longer will the picket guard sound the coming of the foe. No more clarion call to arms. No more scenes of carnage and of death. They have their commission to eternal rest.

What's

Worth doing is worth doing well. If you wish to be cured of Rheumatism use Ballard's Snow Liniment and you will be "well cured." A positive cure for Sprains, Neuralgia, Bruises, Contracted Muscles and all the ills that flesh is heir to. A. G. M. Williams, Navasota, Texas, writes: "I have used Snow Liniment for sprained ankle and it gave the best of satisfaction. I always keep it in the house." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Mississippi Bank Suspends.

[illegible] a private bank [illegible] Taylor, failed to open its doors Monday morning. The [illegible] Arkansas, Rome and [illegible] Mississippi [illegible] are given [illegible] offices of the institution say [illegible] will be paid in full.

State Grange Seeks Prohibition.

Saginaw, Mich., Dec. 12.—The state grange at its annual meeting here on Tuesday adopted a resolution calling upon the republican national convention now in session at [illegible], Mich., to insert a clause in the new constitution prohibiting [illegible] liquor.

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At the Right Time

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THE DAILY SUN, 10c a Week

THIS WAS SHUCKING SOME.

Young Illinois Man Breaks the World's Record as a Corn Husker.

A. O. Steenburg has handed The Sun a clipping from his old home paper, The Farmington (Ill.) Bugle, which shows the remarkable record made by Earle Moore as a corn husker, which will prove of interest to our people.

Mr. Steenburg says that this record seems almost impossible, but he is personally acquainted with all the parties, and knows the assertions to be facts.

Following is the item:

"When Sam Abbott read in The Bugle of the sort of corn shucking stories that his neighbor Sam Moore was telling about his son Earl and Art Cramblett he had a few doubts. Talking to Earl one day, Earl told him he believed he could shuck 200 bushels of corn in a day. Abbott studied awhile and then made Earl a proposition. Said he, 'I have a good field; the corn stands up well, the yield is pretty good, and if you'll go into that field and shuck 200 bushels of corn in ten hours, I'll give you five cents a bushel for the work.' Mr. Abbott also agreed to drive the team to and from the field, weigh the corn and unload it.

"Earl agreed to the proposal and last Wednesday the test came off. For the first hour or two Earl failed to strike his gait but as time passed he warmed to the work and on the third load he had to wait for Abbott to get the empty wagon back. At the end he was going like a piece of machinery and reeled off 23 bushels and 60 pounds in the last hour.

"He quit after nine hours and 35 minutes' work with a total of 206 bushels and 50 pounds to his credit. Mr. Abbott kept the time and weighed the corn and he was just as much tickled over Earl's fine performance as was any of Earl's folks.

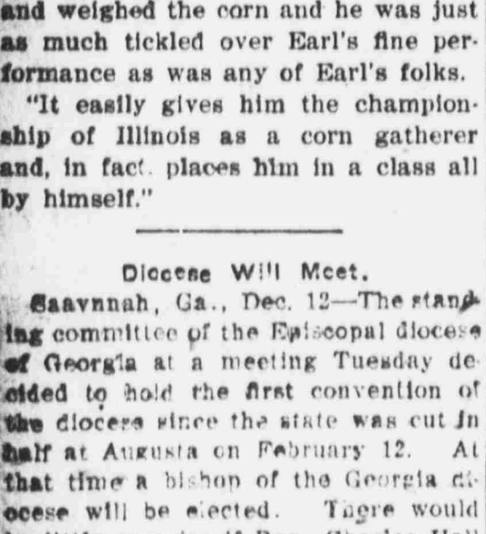
"It easily gives him the championship of Illinois as a corn gatherer and, in fact, places him in a class all by himself."

Diocese Will Meet.

Saavnnah, Ga., Dec. 12—The standing committee of the Episcopal diocese of Georgia at a meeting Tuesday decided to hold the first convention of the diocese since the state was cut in half at Augusta on February 12. At that time a bishop of the Georgia diocese will be elected. There would be little surprise if Rev. Charles Hall Strong, rector of St. John's church, was not elected to that position.

That's It! ! !

Cough yourself into a fit of spasms and then wonder why you don't get well. If you will only try a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup your cough will be a thing of the past. It is a positive cure for Coughs, Influenza, Bronchitis and all Pulmonary diseases. One bottle will convince you—at your druggist's 25c, 50c, $1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.



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NOT A PARTICLE OF SKIN ON BODY

Worst Case of Eczema Doctor Had Seen in 40 Years — For Six Months Father Expected His Baby to Die—Blood Oozed Out All Over Her Body—Had to Be Wrapped in Silk and Carried on a Pillow—Now She Is Perfectly Cured.

DOCTOR RECOMMENDED CUTICURA REMEDIES

"My little girl was born two weeks before her time and my wife died four hours after the birth of our child and I had to raise the baby on artificial foods. Six months after birth she broke out and I had two doctors in attendance. There was not a particle of skin left on her body, the blood oozed out just anywhere, and we had to wrap her in silk and carry her on a pillow for ten weeks. She was the most terrible sight I ever saw, and for six months I looked for her to go to her mama, but thank God and his agents, she is alive and well to-day and she will be three years old the seventh of December and has never had a sign of the dread trouble since.

"I used every known remedy to alleviate her suffering, for it was terrible to witness. Dr. C—— gave her up and then I went to C—— F—— and got Dr. B—— and he and Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment saved her. He recommended the Cuticura Remedies, or said we were right in making use of them. As nearly as I can remember, we used eight cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment; but you must take into consideration that hers was an exceptional case, for an old and good doctor said that it was the worst case that had come to him in forty years. I have always hinged on Cuticura Soap to keep her skin soft and to give her a pure complexion. James J. Smith, Wood and Metal Pattern Maker, Box 234, Buena Vista, Va., Oct. 14 and 22, 1906."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.) (in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

BUILDING ROBBED, THEN FIRED.

Depot of Central Road at Fort Mitchell, Ala., Burned—Loss $25,000.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 12.—A special from Columbus, Ga., to the Journal says:

The depot of the Central of Georgia railway was burned at Fort Mitchell, Ala, at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning. The loss is about $25,000, including freight and other property.

It is very evident that the building was fired after being robbed, as there are indications of such action about the charred structure.

The station is an important one, and always has a lot of freight of expensive sort.

Early to Bed

And early to rise, makes one healthy, happy and wise—especially if you atke Herbine before retiring. A positive cure for constipation, dyspepsia and all liver complaints. Mrs. S——, Columbia, Tenn., writes: "I always keep a supply of your Herbine on hand. Am so pleased with the relief it gives in constipation and all liver complaints, that words can't express my appreciation." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Many Robberies in Macon.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 12.—No less than half a dozen robberies have been committed in Macon in the last five days and nearly that many attempts have been stopped just in the nick of time. A house in the red light district on lower Cherry street was robbed, making the second one in that vicinity to be entered in two days. An attempt was made to enter the Park hotel. The robbers were scared away but left their ladder standing against a wall of the building.

Famous Prima Donna Coming.

New York, Dec. 11.—Oscar Hammerstein announces the appearance on January 15, at the Manhattan Opera house, of Mme. Tetrazzini, the famous prima donna, who has been immensely successful in London this season. The announcement is made formally, and it is said that the singer's first appearance in New York will be in "La Traviata."

Notice to Our Customers.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug Law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. J. W. McCollum & Co.

MONONGAH DISASTER.

Work of Recovering Bodies from the Mines Still Continues.

Fairmont, Va., Dec. 13—Reports to the office of the Fairmont Coal company here from mines Nos. 6 and 8, at Monongah, the scene of last Friday's death-dealing explosion, Wednesday morning state that the rescue work continued all night and was without special feature or incident.

A number of bodies were brought to the surface and others were located in the mine. The exact number recovered during the night has not been reported to the officers here.

The change in the weather with accompanying mud and snow has made conditions about the mines so bad that only those who could not possibly get away, remained during the night.

Andrew Carnegie has telegraphed, adding $2,000 to one of the local funds for Monongah miners' relief.

Many sensational reports are being circulated in connection with the catastrophe. Prominent among these are rumors that the National Guard has quietly taken charge of Monongah; that additional explosions have further wrecked the mines, and that the bodies of the dead miners are being robbed of all valuables. All these reports are without even frail foundations.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children's teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea.

County Treasurer's Monthly Report.

Nov. 1—Bal. in bank Nov. 1..	$40,279.38
Nov. 5—E. T. Henderson, for Baylie Williams, assault.	15.00
Nov. 11—R. A. Caswell, for Clarence M. Smith et al	7.00
Nov. 11—A. C. Croom, one-mill school tax.....	4,439.35
Nov. 12—County Commissioners, county convicts....	415.18
Nov. 12—County Commissioners, road fund	99.52
Nov. 12—S. O. Barron, for Frank Barnes et al.....	15.00
Nov. 13—J. T. Stokes, for Ruskin Porter	15.00
Nov. 13—W. D. Dickinson, collectons for October...	1,649.77
Nov. 14—L. W. Fennell, for Boss Johns, concealed weapons	107.58
Nov. 14—L. W. Fennell, for E. L. Martin, assault...	30.95
Nov. 22—A. C. Croom, for G. & G. railroad tax.....	1,352.94
Nov. 26—L. W. Fennell, case Nola Jackson, selling whiskey	116.15
Nov. 29—J. L. Kelley, Hawthorn, S. S. D.....	27.60
Nov. 29—J. L. Kelley, to be credited Alachua	80.00
Total receipts	$48,650.12
Disbursements	15,094.26
Balance	$33,556.16
Dec. 1—First Nat'l. Bank...	$17,202.54
Dec. 1—The Dutton Bank...	16,353.62
Total	$33,556.16

Condition of Funds.

General fund	$ 5,554.39
Road fund	14,277.81
Fine and forfeiture fund...	10,152.84
Game Warden	830.50
School fund	1,937.28
School S. S. fund.....	803.34
Total	$33,556.16

B. B. PEELER,
County Treasurer.

Tax Notice.

In pursuance of Chapter No. 4115, Section 35, Laws of Florida, I give below a statement showing the amount of taxes collected by W. D. Dickinson, tax collector of Alachua county, Florida, for the period ending Nov. 30, 1907, as shown by county treasurer's receipts on file in my office, towit:

TAX ROLL 1907.

Licenses	$ 593 00
Road Fund	904 64
Road Fund, Special Dist.	124 85
School Fund	1583 14
School Fund, Special District	611 79
School Polls, 1905.....	26 00
School Polls, 1906	36 00
School Polls, 1907	74 00
Total.....	$3382 92

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A. Oerting, seaman, of 419 L. street, Pensacola, Fla., tells how to do it. He says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can strongly recommend them to anyone in need of a good medicine for the kidneys. Kidney complaint and backache caused me suffering at intervals for years. The first or second attack I did not mind, but as time went by they grew worse and at times laid me up. I could hardly walk and it was a difficult matter to straighten up after stooping, while the kidney secretions were irregular and unnatural. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. From personal experience I know that this remedy can be depended upon to fulfill the representations made for it."

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The Atlantic Coast Line will sell tickets from all points in Florida December 20th to 25th, inclusive, and December 30th, 31st and January 1st, with final limit returning January 6th. Rates will be one and one-third fare plus twenty-five cents for the round trip.

Ask your nearest railroad agent for rates to any point south of the Ohio or East of the Mississippi river, or call on or write to A. W. Fritot, Division Passenger Agent, Jacksonville, Florida.

Strike Officially Endorsed.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 12.—Official endorsement of the miners' strike at Goldfield was given Tuesday by the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners. The following telegram was sent to Charles H. Mackinnon, president of the Goldfield miners' union: "Executive board recognizes justice of your position Will render all possible assistance."

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A M Leave	P M Leave	P M Leave		P M Arrive	P M Arrive	A M
8 00	1 30	2 40	Live Oak	4 30	5 30	10 15
Ar 8 30	Ar 2 00	Ar 3 40	Dowling Park	Lv 3 48	Lv 5 00	Lv 9 05
Lv 8 45	Lv 4 45	Lv 4 10		Ar 3 30	Ar 4 55	Ar 9 00
8 57	4 57	Ar 4 25	Mayo Junction	3 25	4 43	Lv 8 45
Ar 9 30	Ar 5 30	Ar 5 10	Perry		Lv 3 50	Lv 8 00
Ar 10 30	Ar 6 30	Ar 6 35	Hampton Springs	Lv 2 00	Lv 3 5?	Lv 7 ?

Connection made at Dowling Park for all trains to and from Live Oak and Perry. Connection at Mayo Junction for Mayo, Alton and all intermediate points.

For information as to connections with other lines, 'phone or call on General Passenger Agent: 'phone 147, Lewis Building, Live Oak.

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FRANK CLARK BUSY.

As evidence that Congressman Frank Clark is a busy man at Washington, where he is serving his constituents as representative from the second district, we give the following list of bills introduced by him during the first week of Congress:

H. R. 469. A bill to transfer the county of Alachua from the Southern judicial district of the State of Florida to the Northern judicial district of said State.

H. R. 470. A bill to require the secretary of agriculture to make monthly reports as to Sea Island or long-staple cotton, pineapple and orange crops.

H. R. 471. A bill to prohibit internal revenue officers from receiving special taxes from any person, firm or corporation, for the carrying on of the business of a brewer, manufacturer of stills, rectifier or distilled spirits, wholesale or retail dealer in spiritous, vinous, or malt liquors, until such person, firm or corporation shall exhibit to such internal devenue officer a license or other evidence from the local authorities that such person, firm or corporation is authorized to carry on said business.

H. R. 472. A bill to provide for the refunding to the rightful owners, their heirs or legal representatives, the proceeds of the cotton tax illegally collected by the United States from the people of the several States in the years 1863, 1864, 1865, 1866, 1867 and 1868, and to provide for the disposition of such as may be unclaimed. Also, a resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to furnish information bearing on the subject.

H. R. 473. A bill to extend to the veterans of the several Seminole Indian wars and to the widows of the veterans of the several Seminole Indian wars the benefits of the act of Congress of February 6, 1907.

H. R. 476. A bill granting pensions to the soldiers of the different Seminole Indian wars and their widows.

H. R. 477. A bill to extend the provisions of the existing bounty-land laws to the officers and enlisted men, and the officers and men of the boat companies of the Florida Seminole Indian war.

The Miami News-Record refers as follows to the success of a former citizen of Alachua county, who is now a resident of the Magic City: "George B. Gerlow, whose success at raising tropical fruits is well known, is now shipping the Trap avocado to the Northern markets. He is now realizing $4 per dozen at the depot in Miami, and has orders, more than he can fill, for December delivery at $6 per dozen. The fruit will be coming on [illegible] and will be available until [illegible]. The Trap is one of the finest [illegible] and is a prolific producer. Any one who raises the fruit in [illegible] of the market is assured [illegible]

The Monroe Advertiser claims [illegible] negro who recently caught [illegible] possums in one night. He [illegible] charged with 'possum hogging and slaughtering for slaughter; however, as 'possums are [illegible] alive, and this may represent as much as two weeks' supply [illegible] family use.

"TRUTH ABOUT GAINESVILLE."

Editor Times-Union: As I swung myself from the Atlantic Coast Line train in Gainesville on Tuesday, December 2, I was not startled by any extraordinary changes that had taken place since I let loose from the Florida Southern train at the same spot on an afternoon in June, 1882. The Florida Southern of that time is the Atlantic Coast Line of the present, the only noticeable change in front of the Brown House is that the present road is a standard, while the road of ye olden time was a narrow gauge. West Main street is the principal thoroughfare of Gainesville, and presenting the same general appearance today as it did in June, 1882. If the street has at any time been paved it shows no visible signs of it.

In reading the rosy-posy prohibition statement of the wonderful advancement of Gainesville, I am reminded of a question put to a negro by his attorney in a case of assault with intent to murder:

Question—In what position were you standing, and in what position was the prosecuting witness standing at the time you fired the shot?

Answer—We wan't standin', sah, we wuz advancin'.

Question—How were you advancing?

Answer—He wuz advancin' forward, and I wuz advancin' backwards.

The above is an excerpt from a two-column article in The Times-Union of December 11th by Allan Rodgers, who it is understood recently visited Gainesville in the interest of the anti-prohibitionists of Jacksonville. His statement that no extraordinary changes have taken place in this city since 1882 is about as true as other statements he makes derogatory to Gainesville. The editor of The Sun came to Gainesville to reside in August, 1879, and has not been out of the city since then for more than four months at any one time. The Brown House, and nearly every other brick building in the town, has been erected since 1882, including the magnificent court house; so his statement that the town has "advanced backwards" is not borne out by the facts.

The whole trend of Mr. Rodgers' article is an effort to prove that Gainesville has not advanced during the four and a half years that the sale of liquor has been prohibited in the city and county, but he has not accomplished his object, for the evidence is here to disprove his statement. We do not say that the town would not have advanced equally as much had liquor not been voted out, but we do say, from our own personal knowledge, that voting the saloon out of the city has not been detrimental to the business interests, while it has proven a great blessing from a moral standpoint, and the best evidence that the people are satisfied with present conditions is that you cannot find a white business man on the square who would vote to again license the sale of liquor in Gainesville.

His comparison of the number of criminal cases on the docket of the last circuit court with the term prior to the county voting for prohibition, proves nothing. The phosphate and naval stores industries have more than doubled during that time, and everybody knows the low class of negroes who have come into the county to work in these industries has been the cause of the increase in criminal cases. The large number of arrests for violation of the prohibition law shows the determination of our people to put a stop to this class of crime, and the punishment meted out to the "blind tigers" during the last term of court should be a warning to this class of lawbreakers to desist from the illicit sale of liquor.

Mr. Rodgers is welcome to compare the progress of Gainesville with any other interior town of the State. We have the evidence here to show that prohibition has not injured Gainesville from any standpoint whatever, and many of the leading men of Ocala and Palatka who have come here and investigated the condition of affairs have been influenced by the result of such investigation to take their stand on the side of prohibition.

Mr. Rodgers has labored earnestly to serve his employers, but his statements will not accomplish the desired result, for we "have the goods" to disprove every statement he makes derogatory to Gainesville, and The Sun regrets that the gentleman did not exercise his talents in a more laudable undertaking.

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FOREST SURVEY IN KENTUCKY.

The first season's field work in the co-operative investigation of the forest resources of Kentucky by the United States Forest Service and the State Board of Agriculture has just been completed.

The investigation so far conducted has shown that within reasonable distance of railroads and floating streams there is very little good timber left, and yellow poplar is getting scarce all through the region. Ten years ago this tree was the most important one of the region, but now the cut of white oak exceeds it both in quantity and value. Many watersheds are practically devoid of merchantable timber, and many others are rapidly approaching this condition. Much of the land has been cleared for farming purposes, but owing to the steepness of the hills, which in many sections wash badly, and to the natural poverty of the soil, a large portion of the cleared land has been abandoned after raising a few crops of corn, and it is now growing up in briars and bushes, very slowly reverting to forest again.

This part of the State has a fairly thick population, and the people depend to a large extent on the marketing and manufacture of the timber for a livelihood. It is therefore highly important, not so much that the timber itself should be preserved, but that the forest lands should be so handled that a perpetual supply of timber may be expected.

There is only one redeeming feature in envy—you can possess the millionaire's gold without his anxiety. Were it otherwise, you might envy the man destined to sleep in a potter's grave.

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Marry Young and Often Seems to Be the Rule In Egypt.

According to information given from authentic sources to a correspondent of Leslie's Weekly while in Egypt, "there are few men in Cairo past the age of twenty years who have not been married at least twice, and the majority of women over sixteen have made a half dozen or so matrimonial experiments." There is no disgrace attached to divorce in Egypt. If mutual admiration wanes with the honeymoon, there is nothing more natural to the Egyptian mind than that the dissatisfied party takes steps toward another trial. Marriage is universal in Egypt. There are no old maids. Widows remain widows but a short time, and, as a rule, no young man is considered fitted for business or entitled to the confidence of the community until he is married. These numerous marriages and their attendant celebrations make it extremely interesting for the stranger from the west who journeys through Egypt. Toward the end of the tourist season, when money is considerably more plentiful than it is just before the travelers invade the country and begin to scatter piasters along the Nile, there are hundreds of marriages. In Cairo they average during the month of April from ten to twenty a day of the elaborate ones—with brass bands, processions and feasting—and any number of less showy ones.

A LONG DRIVE.

The Expert Lumbermen of the Canadian Rivers.

One of the most interesting sights the new arrival in Canada can strike is to witness a log drive on one of the rivers there, especially should there be several rapids to navigate.

The expert river man is a clever athlete—clever and nervy as any circus rider, his steeds probably cutting more antics than any horse could think of. He will jump from one log to another quickly as they swirl around until he reaches the one he wants; then he will make for the center and stand perfectly upright and still, balancing himself with a long pike or peavy, sometimes running down stream miles without landing.

He also guides other logs into the channel in passing, at times jumping from one to another in marvelous fashion, although the logs are twisting and turning in every direction.

Probably the cleverest piece of work one could observe out here is when the logs get jammed in passing the rapids. Then you see the expert at his best. He is here, there and everywhere until he gets things as he wants them, when he will calmly stand and ride down among the heaving, grinding mass as though there were no danger at hand. This scene, so full of excitement, once witnessed could never be forgotten.—London Tit-Bits.

A Royal Martyr to Etiquette.

In Spain the etiquette to be observed in the royal palaces was carried to such length as to make martyrs of their kings. There is a historic instance. Philip III. was gravely seated by the fire. The firemaker of the court had kindled so great a quantity of wood that the monarch was nearly suffocated with heat, and his grandeur would not suffer him to rise from the chair. The domestics could not presume to enter the apartment because it was against the etiquette. At length the Marquis do Totat appeared, and the king ordered him to damp the fires, but he excused himself, alleging that he was forbidden by the etiquette to perform such a function, for which the Duc d'Usseda ought to be called upon, as it was his business. The duke was gone out. The fire burned fiercer, and the king endured it rather than derogate from his dignity. But his blood was heated to such a degree that he was seriously ill the next day. A violent fever succeeded, which carried him off in the twenty-fourth year of his age.—London Standard.

Custard.

Concerning custard, or "custad," as it was formerly called, it was a common joke at civic feasts in the olden time to place an enormous custard in the middle of the table, into which at some stage of the proceedings the clown unexpectedly jumped. Ben Jonson uses the term "custard leap jack" of one who "in tail of a sheriff's dinner" took "his almain leap into a custard" to "make my lady mayoress and her sisters laugh all their heads over their shoulders."—Blackwood's Magazine.

No Answer.

Tommy—Pop, a man's wife is his better half, isn't she?

Tommy's Pop—So we are told, my son.

"Then if a man marries twice there isn't anything left of him, is there?"—London Tit-Bits.

Vanity and Love.

"Do you agree with the woman who says that vanity is a much stronger passion than love?"

"Well, I know that there is a greater demand for mirrors than for valentines."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS PATENT.

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of January, A. D. 1908, we, the undersigned, will apply to His Excellency, N. B. Broward, Governor of the State of Florida, or his successor in office, for Letters Patent on the charter proposed below:

This 15th day of November, A. D. 1907.

PERRY M. COLSON,
WILLIS W. COLSON,
BARNEY R. COLSON.

Articles of Incorporation of the Colson Farming Company.

First—The name of the corporation shall be Colson Farming Company and its principal place of business shall be Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida.

Second—The general nature of business to be transacted by this corporation shall be to buy, sell, option, mortgage, lease, rent, cultivate, improve, plat, subdivide, auction and deal in for itself and for others on commission all kinds of real and personal property; to buy, sell, raise, improve and deal in all kinds of live stock and all and every kind of farm products; to borrow or lend money, its credit or the credit of others, with or without security; to subscribe for, purchase, receive, own, sell and dispose of stock, shares, bonds, securities or obligations of individuals or of other corporations wherever located; to buy, sell, lease, own and use machinery and appliances, supplies and personal property of whatsoever description, to collect, discount and assign securities or other obligations payable or transferred to it either before or after maturity; to buy and own its own shares on any terms whatsoever and to have power generally to do and perform, have, hold, acquire and enjoy all other property powers and things as shall be incident, necessary or expedient for the conducting the necessary operations of the business, and generally to be vested with and to have all power granted or which may be hereafter granted to corporations for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

Third—The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00), to be divided into one hundred shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars per share. Said stock shall be paid in, in cash or property, at a valuation to be fixed by the directors of the company at a meeting called for such purpose on the granting of this charter.

Fourth—The term for which this corporation shall exist shall be ninety-nine years from the date of Letters Patent bringing it into existence.

Fifth—The business of this corporation shall be conducted by a President, Vice-President and General Manager, Secretary and Treasurer, and a Board of Directors to consist of not less than three members, and such other officers as may be created and appointed by the Board of Directors of said corporation; provided, that the offices of Vice-President and General Manager may be vested in and the duties thereof exercised by one person, and provided, further, that the offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be vested in and the duties thereof exercised by one person. The business of the corporation shall be conducted by Perry M. Colson, President, Willis W. Colson, Vice-President and General Manager, and Barney R. Colson, Secretary and Treasurer, until there shall have been an election of officers held by the stock-holders of said corporation. The first annual meeting for the election of officers, adopting by-laws and transacting generally all business of the corporation by the stock-holders, shall be held on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1908. There shall be an annual meeting of the stock-holders on the second Tuesday in January of each and every year thereafter during the continuance of this charter.

Sixth—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation can at any time subject itself shall be Ten Thousand Dollars.

Seventh—The names and residences of the subscribers to this charter are: Perry M. Colson, Gainesville, Fla., 80 shares; Willis W. Colson, Gainesville, Fla., 10 shares; Barney R. Colson, Gainesville, Fla., 10 shares.

PERRY M. COLSON. (Seal)
WILLIS W. COLSON. (Seal)
BARNEY R. COLSON. (Seal)

State of Florida,)
County of Alachua)

On this day personally appeared before me, Perry M. Colson, Willis W. Colson and Barney R. Colson, to me well known and known to be the subscribers respectively to the foregoing articles of incorporation and charter of Colson Farming Company, and severally acknowledged before me that they did so subscribe the same for the purpose of obtaining Letters Patent thereon from the State of Florida and the further and other purposes therein set forth and expressed.

Witness my hand and official seal on this the 15th day of November, A. D. 1907.

(Seal.) W. E. BAKER,
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DEATH OF HON. S. B. SLAUGHTER.

Old Landmark of West End Gone to His Reward.

Trenton, Fla., Nov. 12—A gloom of sadness was cast over this community yesterday morning when it was announced that Uncle Sam Slaughter, who had been confined to his bed for several weeks with lagrippe, had passed away at his home at 3:30 o'clock a. m.

Samuel B. Slaughter was born in Lowndes county, Ga., Oct. 17, 1826, from which he moved to Florida when quite a young man, about twenty-one years old. He engaged in farming and cattle raising in this vicinity, and made this profitable by carrying on his work with untiring efforts to make the best of it, as was nature. After remaining in Florida for seven years he was married to Miss Roxie Townsend, of this part of Alachua county, who still survives him. Nine children were born to them, five of whom are living, viz: J. M., Geo. C., G. P. and Charles W. Slaughter, and Mrs. Florida St. Clair. All these were at his bedside at the time of his death, and live in this section, except C. W. Slaughter, who is engaged in the naval stores business at Micanopy.

Uncle Sam was one of the oldest landmarks to pass away. He is too well known for it to be worth while for the writer to mention any of his good traits. He was one of the most widely known men in this county. He represented the county in the State Legislature in the 80's and proved himself a useful member of that body. He engaged in the mercantile, sawmilling and ginning business about that time of his life, at the same time keeping up his farming and stock raising until late in life, when he began to feel himself too aged for so strenuous a life as he was living, and decided to give up all except a small stock of cattle and other stock, and a small farm on which he lived comfortably up to the time of his death. He has been a great man in this community—always lending a helping hand to those in need and who seemed to him objects of charity. He will always be remembered as a kind parent, a loyal husband, a true friend and a good neighbor.

The entire community joins the bereaved wife, children and other relatives in mourning his demise, and extends to them heartfelt sympathy in this hour of mourning.

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"OFF TO FLORIDAY."

A Clever Rhyme Written by a Lady to Her Brother in Gainesville.

A very clever rhyme, written by a sister of Phillip Fisher, Dallas, Tex., has been received by Mr. Fisher here, and it is so original that Mr. Fisher, who is a native of Texas but recently left for Florida, where he was sent as a special representative of the Majestic range, has consented to let the same be published.

Mr. Fisher comes for the first time to Florida this year. He is a good-natured fellow, full of the kind of hospitality which Texans usually carry with them and dispense in "doses" in accordance with their surroundings. He is a young man of excellent manner and disposition, and stated that, in view of the fact that his sister had heard him say many a time how dearly he would love Florida and its climate, etc., she had written these lines and enclosed them in a letter addressed to him here.

The lines follow:

The wind's a blowin' fearful!
And Teddy's tearing 'round;
The moo-cow's eyes look sadlike,
And the pet cats can't be found.

The air is full of packin' dust,
The barrel's full of jam,
For "Mudder's" goin' to Floriday
To live on fish an' ham.

Where folks is mostly 'Piscopal,
'Cause water's mighty skearse,
Bid good bye to the bathtub
And make that last rub fierce.

When butter sells for fifty cents,
And eggs for forty-five,
Don't dream of golden butter balls,
Spring chicken! Sakes alive!

But remember—You're in Floriday,
Where Johnny D. sells "ile"
And poor folks live on climate,
But can always wear a smile.

Children's

Favorite tonic is White's Cream Vermifuge, the cure for worms and all children's diseases. It not only kills the worms, but removes the mucous and slime in which they build their nests. Its action on the child is mild and leaves him in a healthy condition. Joe Daniel, Surmac, Tenn., says that he gave one of his children White's Cream Vermifuge when the doctor thought it had colic, and from the first dose the child passed seventy three worms. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Storehouses Burned.

Eufaula, Ala., Dec. 12.—The storehouses and their contents belonging to J. A. Minchew and Miss Hines at Clayton were totally destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Mr. Minchew's loss is at $8,000, was covered by insurance at $2,000, and Miss Dennis' loss is $3,000, was insured for $2,000. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin.

A FACT PROVEN.

Should Convince Even the Most Skeptical of Its Truth.

If there is the slightest doubt in the minds of any that Dandruff germs do not exist, their belief is compelled by the fact that a rabbit inoculated with the germs became bald in six weeks time.

It must be apparent to any person therefore that the only prevention of baldness is the destruction of the germ—which act is successfully accomplished in one hundred per cent of cases by the application of Newbro's Herpicide.

Dandruff is caused by the same germ which causes baldness and can be prevented with the same remedy—Newbro's Herpicide.

Accept no substitute. "Destroy the cause you remove the effect."

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co. Detroit, Mich.

Two sizes—50 cents and $1.00.

J. S. Bodiford & Co., Special Agents.

FATAL FAMILY QUARREL.

Man Jumped Through Dumb Waiter Shaft to His Death

New York, Dec. 12—Because he and his wife of two months quarreled over his desire to spend his evening at his bowling club, Jacob Victor killed himself Tuesday night.

Victor, who enjoyed a local reputation as a bowler, told his wife at supper that his club was to bowl a match Tuesday night and needed her support. She burst into tears at the idea of his going to spend the evening away from her. Victor, saying that he was tired of married life, so was excused from the room.

She followed him up five flights of stairs, where he burst into the apartment occupied by a family he did not know, then ran to the door of the dumb waiter shaft and jumped in. His wife was so overcome by finding him that she fainted. When she recovered she looked down the shaft and saw her husband lying on the bottom of the shaft. He was instantly killed.

SENTENCED TO BE SHOT.

State Department Appealed to to Save Lives of Americans.

New York, Dec. 12—It has been definitely learned that Harold D. Parker, George Vieg, of New Jersey, and Parker, 22 years old, of New York, is among the filibusters recently arrested and sentenced to be shot at Minas Geraes, Brazil.

When young Parker left New York he told his mother that he was going to Brazil with a mining party and had obtained a good position. The state department has been appealed to and it is said that the department has promised to do all in its power to save the lives of the young Americans who were concerned in a foolhardy attempt to capture a Brazilian state with a force of only a hundred men under the leadership of a man who is said to be a famous Mexican revolutionist.

Savannah Wants Sub-Treasury.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 12.—A bill, drafted by the city attorney of Savannah, has been sent Congressman C. G. Edwards, of this district, at Washington, with the request that he introduce it immediately in congress. The bill provides for the establishment of a subtreasury by the government at Savannah. The mayor and aldermen, the chamber of commerce and the other trade bodies of the city join in the request.

Attempt to Wreck a Train.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 12.—An effort was made Sunday to wreck a passenger train on the St. Andrew road, at Cottondale. Some one threw the switch and ran the train into a box car. Fortunately the engine was slowing up and no damage was done, save to smash up the pilot and wreck the car. The officers are trying to locate the miscreants who threw the switch.

Banks to Resume.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 12—Three additional small banks in Missouri and Kansas, that suspended following the close last week of the National Bank of Commerce, are to resume. They are the Union Avenue Bank of Commerce, of Kansas City, a branch of the National Bank of Commerce; the private bank of D. A. Becker at Stoleabury, Mo., deposits about $20,000, and the State Bank of Admire at Admire, Kans., with deposits of $100,000.

Acquitted of Murder.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 12.—Horace Page, negro, was found not guilty by the superior court in Macon on a charge of murder that had been brought against him by the grand jury. Page was tried of the murder of Albert Page. The two negroes had an encounter at the Colonial hotel during last summer.

He Called It.

Peggy—Now, Reggy, you listen to me while I tell you the plain truth, Reggy? Reggy—I'm all ears, Peggy. Peggy—That's just what I was going to say, only I should have put it differently.—Illustrated Bits.

The Support.

Teacher—Who is it supported the world upon its shoulders? Tommy—Atlas, sir. Teacher—Who supported Atlas? Tommy—The book don't say, but I 'spect his wife did.

Like All the Rest.

The Lady—My husband is particularly liable to seasickness, captain. Could you tell him what to do in case of an attack? The Captain—Tain't necessary, mum. He'll do it.—Judge.

"The Man Behind the Gun."

Recruit (to instructor at rifle practice)—Please, sur, do 'e 'ave to pull much 'arder at thick 'ere five 'undred nor at the two 'undred yards?—London Punch.

The Pen is Mightier

Than a fire-engine when your house is on fire, because it instantly secures the entire value of your home—that is, when your name is penned upon a strong policy for

Fire Insurance

in the best of companies. Winter winds are splendid aids to big blazes. How about your home? If not its safety, this office will at once insure it on receipt of a line from you. THINK.

THE C. GOODMAN COMPANY
GAINESVILLE FLORIDA
GENERAL INSURANCE REAL ESTATE

Office in
The Gainesville National Bank Bldg.

FLORIDA FOR ROOSEVELT.

Republican Committee Adopts Resolutions Endorsing Teddy.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 12.—The Florida republican state central committee met here Tuesday and decided to hold the state convention in St. Augustine on a date not later than February 15 for the purpose of electing delegates to the republican national convention to be held in Chicago in June 16.

The committee also adopted resolutions strongly endorsing the Roosevelt administration and pledging the party to send delegates from Florida to vote for a candidate who stands for and represents the policies of the administration, and who is pledged to their continuance.

Passed Examination Successfully.

James Donahue, New Britain, Conn., writes: "I tried several kidney remedies, and was treated by our best physicians for diabetes, but did not improve until I took Foley's Kidney Cure. After the second bottle I showed improvement, and five bottles cured me completely. I have since passed a rigid examination for life insurance." Foley's Kidney Cure cures backache and all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. J. W. McCollum & Co.

Suicide Clause Sustained.

Columbus, O., Dec. 12.—The supreme court has given a decision in the case of the supreme tent Knights of the Maccabees, versus Caroline E. Reed, of Muskingum county, involving the suicide provision of the insurance policies. William R. Reed, a member of the order, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head. His widow brought suit to collect $1,000, the amount of the policy. The order declined to pay the claim, on the ground that the insured committed suicide while insane. The lower courts decided in favor of the widow, and the case was carried to the supreme court.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

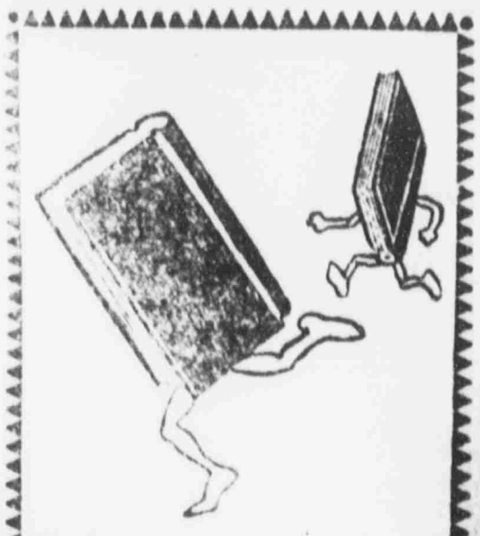
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

To Hold Jacksonville Convention.

Madisonville, Fla., Dec. 12.—A full contingent of democratic politicians and citizens from this section will be in the city Wednesday to attend a meeting which is called for the purpose of trying to agree upon a delegation to the democratic state convention which meets in Jacksonville December 17th. Only a few days remain before the primaries will be held and it is thought that a strike will be declared within the next few days.

Danger in Asking Advice.

When you have a cough or cold do not ask someone what is good for it, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. J. W. McCollum & Co.



TESTING METHODS

A test as to the value of newspaper advertising over other methods was made a year ago by the great publishing house of Harper & Bros. Two books were selected, one by a well known popular author and the other by an unknown writer. The latter was selected for the newspaper advertising and the other for the usual channels.

With equal expenditure the work advertised in the newspapers outstripped the other in sales by 200,000 copies.

The result was a complete surprise and established the fact that readers go to the newspapers for information with regard to books as well as with regard to most other matters. National Printer Journalist.

The best advertising medium for any merchant is the local paper which goes into the homes of the people, as this paper does.

H. J. DEMPSEY

New and Second-Hand

FURNITURE

Furniture Sold on Easy Payments. Show-Cases Made to Order. Repairing a Specialty. Sell on Commission.

Storage Rooms in Connection

at Reasonable Rates.

228 W. Main St. S., Gainesville, Fla.

SAVE MONEY TIME WORRY

By Buying Your BREAD from

KEYSTONE BAKERY

Phone 165. R. T. SCHAFER, Prop.

For years we have been doing the Baking for hundreds of satisfied customers. Are you on the list? If not, it's never too late.

Aalchua County Abstract Co.

(Incorporated)

Perry M. Colson, Pres. J. W. Harding, Vice Pres. B. B. Colson, Sec.-Treas.

GAINESVILLE, FLA.

We do an exclusive Abstract business, with facilities for imparting Full information concerning the Title of any and all lands in Alachua county. All business transacted promptly.

T. F. THOMAS UNDERTAKING CO.

FULL LINE OF NEW GOODS....

AGENTS FOR

MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES and IRON FENCES.

☞ See our samples.

Personal attention to all matters in this line. Mail and telegraph orders promptly attended to

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Fancy pounds best Granulated Sugar **$1**

Cash only. No 'phone orders taken. Only $1 to each customer.

California Peaches, regular price 30c—this sale only 23c—cash only.

Armour's Clipped Beef, 1-pound can, regular price 25c; this sale **15c**

Jones's Pure Fruit Preserves, regular 50c; this sale **42c**—cash

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El Dorado Cafe

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Wanted—Second-hand bags and burlap; any kind, any quantity, anywhere; we pay freight. Richmond Bag Co., Richmond, Va.

Bazaar! Bazaar! Open today from noon to 3 o'clock. Hot lunch served quick to business men and others. Come everybody.

George Gleason and Robt. L. Barton of Rocky Point, two well-known truckers of that section, were trading in the city yesterday.

Your money will last longer if you will take advantage of our ten per cent reduction for five days. Gainesville 5 and 10-Cent Store.

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I do not have to misrepresent facts when I say that my oysters are received fresh every day. Ask any reputable citizen. F. T. Rutherford, south side square.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup, the new laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best laxative. Guaranteed or your money back. J. W. McCollum & Co.

For Rent—New cottage on East Main street North. Electric lights, sewerage, bath and all modern conveniences; $12.50 per month if taken for a year. Apply at Sun office or 303 Liberty street.

W. A. Dunnegan of High Springs was in the city yesterday. Mr. Dunnegan was for a long time engaged as a marketman and grocer in that progressive town, but is now in the manufacture of lumber.

J. J. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. S. L. Crews, were among those who favored the city with a visit yesterday. They make their home at Brooker, where Mr. Morgan is extensively engaged in the cross tie business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McDonald of Rome, Ga., who have been here for a brief visit to Mrs. McDonald's brother, A. R. Harper, left yesterday for Daytona, where they will spend a few days. They were delighted with Gainesville and her people.

Among those who spent yesterday in this city were Judge E. A. Pinnelle and son, Wesley, two prominent attorneys of Bronson. The former is one of the oldest and most widely known, as well as one of the most successful attorneys in this section of the State.

Marvin D. Phifer, after a few weeks spent in Alachua, has returned to the city, and has again accepted a position as salesman at the New York Racket. Mr. Phifer is a young man full of ambition, and is very popular. His friends here will be glad to welcome him and his estimable family again.

We will open a first-class moving picture show in this city in a few days, and will give an entire change of pictures each night. We will offer to the person giving us the most appropriate name for this show a season ticket, name to be decided upon by a committee. Mail suggestions to George Hodgson, care Sun, not later than December 15. Davis & Hodgson.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

...The Gainesville National Bank...

At the Close of Business December 3, 1907

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES	
Loans	$167,070.91	Capital stock	$100,000.00
Overdrafts	396.65	Undivided profits (NET)	5,598.55
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	31,979.31	Circulation	25,000.00
United States bonds and premium	26,406.25	Rediscounts	25,000.00
Shareholders' account	9,400.00	DEPOSITS	152,557.25
Five-per-cent fund	1,250.00		
Cash and due from banks	71,652.68		
Total	$308,155.80	Total	$308,155.80

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF ALACHUA } ss

I, C. A. Faircloth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. FAIRCLOTH, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Dec., 1907. W. H. ANDERSON, JR., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
T. W. SPANDS,
WM. R. STOCKERT,
HENRY DAVIS,
Directors.

Alachua Camp No. 5, Woodmen of the World—Meets tonight at 8:00, in Masonic Hall. Annual election of officers. Visiting brothers cordially welcomed. DR. J. M. DELL, C. C.; L. T. ROUX, Clerk.

O'Halloran Smokers, All Havana, 5c.

Victor Hugo Cigars, for cultured gentlemen.

J. S. Bailey of Newberry was among the visitors to the county capital yesterday.

C. M. Haile, traveling auditor for the Seaboard Air Line railway, was in the city on official business yesterday.

Teachers can have their report cards printed at The Sun office at very low price. Sample form and prices on application.

H. D. Derrick, one of the cleverest traveling men on the road, has returned from a successful trip to points in the West End.

M. Liddon of Ocala and J. P. Lynch, formerly of Gum Root but now residing at Woodstock, were registered at the Brown House yesterday.

Your money—my money—everybody's money—talks at our store. Ten per cent reduction on Xmas goods. Gainesville 5and 10-Cent Store.

E. B. Godwin has returned from High Springs, where he has been looking after his interests. He owns a nice farm near that town, and is putting the same in shape.

Victor Hugo Cigars

Clear Havana

Strictly High-Grade

Three for 25c to $1 Each.

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Best for 5c.

C. W. Bartleson Co.

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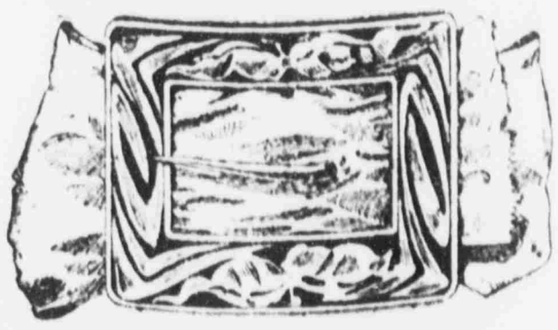
Diamonds, Watches, Rings, Pins, Brooches, Fobs, Chains, Lockets, Crosses, Charms, Buckles Bracelets and all kinds of Fine Jewelry.



Belt Buckle No. 4205, Price $4.50. Illustration ½ size

Clocks, Cut Glass, Silver Tea Sets, Silver Flatware, Toilet Articles, Hand Painted China, 1847 Rogers' Plated ware.

GREENLEAF & CROSBY CO., Jacksonville, Florida

Satisfaction Guaranteed. We Prepay all Forwarding Charges.

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POCAHONTAS PERFUME

A FASCINATING ODOR

FOR SALE BY W. M. JOHNSON.

R. H. Jellard of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, is in the city, and will remain here for several days.

Nicely furnished room, on block adjoining square, to rent. Apply in front of Baptist church, or at Sun office.

Mr. and Mrs. McRae and children were in the city from High Springs yesterday. They were en route to points South, where they will spend a few days with friends.

W. M. Igou, a prominent young man of Starke, is in the city. Mr. Igou came to "live-thate" into the mysteries of Elkdom and the "boys" declared that he got all that was coming to him last night.

J. Fletcher Burnett, who has been in Montana and other points for the past few months, has returned to the city, and has accepted his old position as salesman at the store of L. J. Burkhim. His friends are glad to welcome him back again.

C. E. Scarborough of the Golden Rule Bottling Works left yesterday for points in the West End, where he goes in the interests of his line. The Golden Rule Bottling Works, of which Dell & Scarborough are proprietors, is enjoying a fine trade just now.

M. L. Malphurs, an energetic carpenter who is now residing on South Garden street, is building for himself and family a handsome cottage on the rock road North Gainesville. This cottage, which is of the Colonial style will be one of the handsomest and most up-to-date in that section.

P. M. Padgett and little son, John, were in the city from New River yesterday. Mr. Padgett, who is engaged in the naval stores business, states that his commissary was burned to the ground on Friday, entailing a loss of about $2,000, with no insurance. His friends sympathize deeply with him in his loss.

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See the electric sign CAFE. Our motto: We try to do what we promise.

Miss N. Norton

Novelties, Books, Stationery Souvenirs, Sheet Pictures and Picture Frames .....

206 East Liberty Street, GAINESVILLE, - - - FLORIDA

STOVE WOOD!

We can supply you in any quantity from one stray up

For prices apply to A. R. KRAUSE.

GAINESVILLE TIE COMPANY

Phone No. 4.

For Best Results Advertise in The Sun

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W. A. Dunnegan of High Springs was in the city yesterday. Mr. Dunnegan was for a long time engaged as a marketman and grocer in that progressive town, but is now in the manufacture of lumber.

J. J. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. S. L. Crews, were among those who favored the city with a visit yesterday. They make their home at Brooker, where Mr. Morgan is extensively engaged in the cross tie business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McDonald of Rome, Ga., who have been here for a brief visit to Mrs. McDonald's brother, A. R. Harper, left yesterday for Daytona, where they will spend a few days. They were delighted with Gainesville and her people.

Among those who spent yesterday in this city were Judge E. A. Pinnell and son Wesley, two prominent attorneys of Fronton. The former is one of the oldest and most widely known, as well as one of the most successful attorneys in this section of the State.

Marvin D. Phifer, after a few weeks spent in Alachua, has returned to the city, and has again accepted a position as salesman at the New York Racket. Mr. Phifer is a young man full of ambition and is very popular. His friends here will be glad to welcome him and his estimable family again.

We will open a first-class moving picture show in this city in a few days, and will give an entire change of pictures each night. We will offer to the person giving us the most appropriate name for this show a season ticket, name to be decided upon by a committee. Mail suggestions to George Hodgson, care Sun, not later than December 15. Davis & Hodgson.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

...The Gainesville National Bank...

At the Close of Business December 3, 1907

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans	$167,070.91	Capital stock	$100,000.00
Overdrafts	396.65	Undivided profits (NET)	5,598.55
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	31,979.31	Circulation	25,000.00
United States bonds and premium	26,406.25	Rediscounts	25,000.00
Shareholders' account	9,300.00	DEPOSITS	152,557.25
Five-per-cent fund	1,250.00		
Cash and due from banks	71,652.68		
Total	$308,155.80	Total	$308,155.80

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF ALACHUA } ss

I, C. A. Faircloth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. FAIRCLOTH, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Dec., 1907. W. H. ANDERSON, JR., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
T. W. SHANDS,
WM. R. STECKERT,
HENRY DAVIS,
} DIRECTORS.

Alachua Camp No. 5, Woodmen of the World—Meets tonight at 8:00 in Masonic Hall. Annual election of officers. Visiting brothers cordially welcomed. DR. J. M. DELL, C. C.; L. T. ROUX, Clerk.

O'Halloran Smokers, All Havana, 5c.

Victor Hugo Cigars, for cultured gentlemen.

J. S. Bailey of Newberry was among the visitors to the county capital yesterday.

C. M. Haile, traveling auditor for the Seaboard Air Line railway, was in the city on official business yesterday.

Teachers can have their report cards printed at The Sun office at very low price. Sample form and prices on application.

H. D. Derrick, one of the cleverest traveling men on the road, has returned from a successful trip to points in the West End.

M. Liddon of Ocala and J. P. Lynch, formerly of Gum Root but now residing at Woodstock, were registered at the Brown House yesterday.

Your money—my money—everybody's money—talks at our store. Ten per cent reduction on Xmas goods. Gainesville 5and 10-Cent Store.

E. B. Godwin has returned from High Springs, where he has been looking after his interests. He owns a nice farm near that town, and is putting the same in shape.

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R. H. Jellard of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, is in the city, and will remain here for several days.

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Mr. and Mrs. McRae and children were in the city from High Springs yesterday. They were en route to points South, where they will spend a few days with friends.

W. M. Igou, a prominent young man of Starke, is in the city. Mr. Igou came to "investigate" into the mysteries of Elkdom—and the "boys" declared that he got all that was coming to him last night.

J. Fletcher Burnett, who has been in Montana and other points for the past few months, has returned to the city, and has accepted his old position as salesman at the store of L. J. Burkhim. His friends are glad to welcome him back again.

C. E. Scarborough of the Golden Rule Bottling Works left yesterday for points in the West End, where he goes in the interests of his line. The Golden Rule Bottling Works, of which Dell & Scarborough are proprietors, is enjoying a fine trade just now.

M. L. Malphurs, an energetic carpenter who is now residing on South Garden street, is building for himself and family a handsome cottage on the rock road North Gainesville. This cottage, which is of the Colonial style, will be one of the handsomest and most up-to-date in that section.

P. M. Padgett and little son, John, were in the city from New River yesterday. Mr. Padgett, who is engaged in the naval stores business, stated that his commissary was burned to the ground on Friday, entailing a loss of about $2,000, with no insurance. His friends sympathize deeply with him in his loss.

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